# THE SENATE THE THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2019

#### **COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

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### COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair Senator Stanley Chang, Vice Chair

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 8, 2019

TIME: 2:45PM

PLACE: Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

#### AGENDA

SB 242 RELATING TO HEALTH. HMS/CPH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Beginning January 1, 2020, requires the State's medicaid managed care and fee-for service programs to provide coverage

for home and community-based services for individuals diagnosed as having autism. Requires the Department of

Human Services to seek a section 1115 waiver to amend the state Medicaid plan to include this coverage.

SB 462 RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY HMS/CPH, WAM

PROGRAM.

Status & Testimony Extends the nursing facility sustainability fee program to 2021.

Allows the nursing facility sustainability fee to be used to enhance capitated rates for the purpose of paying quality incentives. Increases the nursing facility sustainability fee limit from four to 5.5 per cent of net patient service revenue. Increases the per resident daily maximum fee from \$13.46 to

\$20 for each facility, and increases the per resident reduced daily maximum fee from \$5.85 to \$9 for facilities that meet

certain exceptions. Appropriates funds.

SB 463 RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM. HMS/CPH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Extends the hospital sustainability program for two years.
Clarifies exemptions from the hospital sustainability fee.

Appropriates \$75,000,000 out of the hospital sustainability special fund for fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021.

#### **SB 1051**

Status & Testimony

# RELATING TO HOMELESS INDIVIDUALS WITH SEVERE MENTAL ILLNESS.

HMS/CPH, JDC/WAM

Requires the Department of Human Services, in consultation with the Department of Health, to establish a pilot project to procure services from a designated service provider to operate a facility to provide shelter and mental health treatment for homeless individuals with severe mental illness or severe cooccurring mental illness and substance use disorders who are subject to court-ordered assisted community treatment or courtordered quardianship. Requires the adult protective and community services branch of the Department of Human Services or a licensed physician employed by the designated service provider to request court-ordered assisted community treatment or court-ordered quardianship for homeless individuals with severe mental illness or severe co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorders. Requests that homeless individuals with severe mental illness or severe cooccurring mental illness and substance use disorders provide identification documentation prior to receiving shelter and mental health treatment. Requires the designated service provider to locate an unused, suitable facility to operate as a shelter. Makes an appropriation.

## Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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